

REMARKS

Claims 1-19 are pending. The Applicant thanks the Examiner for allowing claims 1-9. Claims 10-19 are rejected by this Office Action.

Please note that the Attorney Docket Number has been changed to 005222.00262.

Typographical Errors

The Applicant has amended claim 2 to replace “including” with “includes”.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC §101

Claims 10-18 are rejected by the Office Action under 35 USC 101 because the claimed invention is directed to non-statutory subject matter. The Office Action alleges that the claims are seen as being code-per-se. The Office Action further alleges that “The preamble claims ‘a computer program embodied on a computer readable medium’, however this program is not seen to be executed.” The Applicant has amended the preamble of claim 10 to claim “A computer-readable medium having computer-executable code segments for visualizing various components of a web architecture framework on an electronic display device to facilitate assessment of the components as part of a comprehensive, integrated solution”. The preamble, as amended, is consistent with MPEP section 2106(a) and thus claim 10 is directed to statutory subject matter. Claims 11-18 depend from claim 10. The Applicant requests reconsideration of claims 10-18.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC §102

Claim 19 is rejected by the Office Action under 35 USC 102(b) as being anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 5,819,092 (Ferguson). The Applicant is canceling claim 19 without prejudice.

Allowable Subject Matter

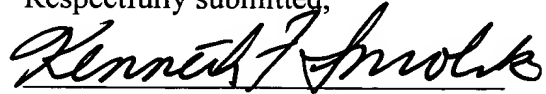
Claims 1-9 are allowed.

CONCLUSION

All objections and rejections have been addressed. Hence, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance, and a notice to that effect is earnestly solicited.

Date: July 19, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kenneth F. Smolik", written over a horizontal line.

Kenneth F. Smolik

Registration No. 44,344

BANNER & WITCOFF, LTD.

10 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 3000

Chicago, IL 60606-7407

Telephone: 312-463-5000

Facsimile: 312-463-5001